



PATENT
Attorney Docket No. 044137-5029

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Alan Solomon <i>et al.</i>)	Confirmation No. 3133
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Application No. 09/825,872)	Group Art Unit: 1656
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Filed: April 5, 2001)	Examiner: C. Kam, Ph.D.
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For: Methods of Investigating, Diagnosing, and Treating Amyloidosis)	Date: January 29, 2007

NOTICE OF APPEAL TO BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS & INTERFERENCES

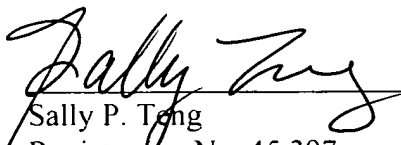
Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated August 29, 2006 of the Examiner finally rejecting claims 1, 2, 32 to 34, 37 to 45, 50 to 52, 57 to 61 and 63 to 68.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge **\$250.00** to Deposit Account No. 50-0310 for payment of the Notice of Appeal fee as set forth on the accompanying transmittal form.

Except for issue fees payable under 37 C.F.R. 1.18, the Commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application including fees due under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310. This paragraph is intended to be a **constructive petition for extension of time** in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)(3).

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TRANSMITTAL FORM

- Transmitted herewith is a Notice of Appeal in response to the Final Office Action dated August 29, 2006.
- Extension of Time: The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) apply. Applicants petition for a two-month extension of time from November 29, 2006 to January 29, 2007, the fee for a small entity which is **\$225.00** as set out in 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a). If Applicants have overlooked the need for an additional extension of time, please consider this a petition therefore. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, including fees due under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310.
- Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. 1.16):

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Remaining		Previously Paid	Extra	Rate	Total Fees
Total Claims	37	minus	69	0	\$50 each=	0.00
Independent Claims	4	minus	12	0	\$200 each=	0.00
First presentation of Multiple dependent claim					\$360.00	0.00
Sub-total =						0.00
Reduction by 1/2 for filing by a small entity						0.00
Total Fee =						0.00

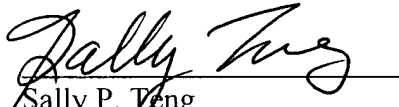
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4. Fee Payment: The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge **\$475.00** to Deposit Account No. 50-0310 for payment of the two-month extension of time fee (\$225.00) and the Notice of Appeal Fee (\$250.00), both fees at the small entity rate.
5. Constructive Petition: **Except** for issue fees payable under 37 C.F.R. 1.18, the Commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application including fees due under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310. This paragraph is intended to be a **constructive petition for extension of time** in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(3).

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